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Expedited Procedure Group Art Unit: 2827

PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 040894-5643

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)		
Satoshi NAKAMURA et al.) BOX AF		
Application No.: 09/805,934) Group Art Unit: 2827		
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In response to the Final Office Action dated October 21, 2002 (Paper No. 9), and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.116, the period for response to which extends through January 21, 2003, entry of the following amendments is respectfully requested to place the application in clear condition for allowance or, alternatively, in better form for appeal.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 2 without prejudice and disclaimer.